GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

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ANTI-INDIA ACTIVITIES
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Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether clandestine anti-India activities by the Pak Embassy in Kathmandu has been brought to the notice of the Pakistan; and

(b) if so, the reaction of Pakistan thereto?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI OMAR ABDULLAH)

(a)&(b) Government have on several occasions called upon Pakistan to end its sponsorship of cross border terrorism in India, including terrorism which it sponsors from the territories of India`s other neighbors, and by misusing its diplomatic facilities and privileges.

Pakistan`s sponsorship of cross border terrorism in India has, however, continued unabated. Pakistan`s true intentions on the issue of its sponsorship of cross border terrorism in India, were clearly indicated in the public address of the Pakistan President on February 5 where he reiterated Pakistan`s time-worn and untenable formulations on terrorism and also sought to justify continued terrorist violence in Jammu & Kashmir.